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—TOPEKA'S BEST STORE— TOPEKA, KANSAS.

## Just arrived---a special lot of suits divided in 2 groups

Style distinction and exclusiveness coupled with price moderation will instantly appeal to women of discriminating taste and an economical trend.

### Suits at \$19.75 —worth up to \$35.00

Box coat, belted, semi-belted and Russian flare effects of serges, chevots and broadcloths trimmed with opossum, nutria and kimmer furs and with velvets and braids. Some of these suits are exact duplicates of suits that sold for \$30 and \$35 the fore part of the season—your choice of this great lot. .... **\$19.75**

### Suits at \$25.00 —worth up to \$40.00

There is an excellent assortment at this popular price; the season's very latest styles of imported broadcloths, French serges, gabardines, corduroys and chevots; many of them made with "Chin-Chin" or aviation collars and attractively trimmed with fur; and elaborately embroidered models, too—a new lot of suits worth up to \$40.00 on sale here. .... **\$25**

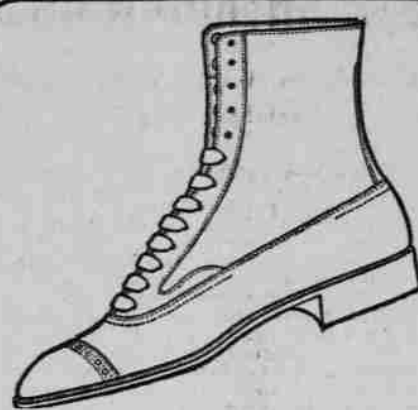
### Coats! Coats!! COATS!!!

Hundreds and hundreds of coats of all kinds—the largest and most varied stock this store has ever shown. Prices start at \$10 and range up to \$65—including a special purchase divided in three great groups at **\$11.50, \$14.50 and \$17.50**; coats of all kinds and materials.

We have the largest and most varied line of plush and velvet coats in Topeka. Prices start at \$15 and range up to \$65 for beautiful silk plushes and chiffon velvets.

And we also have an excellent line of corduroy coats at \$20.00 up to \$52.50; blues, browns and greens. Extra values in Skinner satin lined "Matelam" coats at \$18.75 and \$22.50.

(Women's and children's apparel—Third floor.)



### Just here

Women's English walking shoes of fine, soft gunmetal with white or black laces, medium tipped toes and flat heels

## \$4.00

(Shoe section—Main floor.)

### Bargain Basement

### \$2.50 Shoes, \$1.95

—choice of three styles

Women's patent leather button shoes with broad tipped toes, dull tops and medium heels—regular **\$2.50 values**..... **\$1.95**

Women's button style shoes of kid with patent tips, dull tops, heavy soles and medium heels—regular **\$2.50 values**..... **\$1.95**

Women's felt lined, kid vamp, lace shoes with patent tips, felt tops and medium heels—regular **\$2.50 values**..... **\$1.95**

(Bargain Basement Shoe section)

### In the big Bargain Basement—Wednesday

## \$15 sport coats--\$6.75

A special lot of sport coats of extra quality, highly finished, lustrous corduroy, lined throughout with guaranteed satin; made with high roll collars, broad belts, big patch pockets and attractively trimmed with buttons; women's and misses' sizes in all the popular colors—sport coats well worth every cent of **\$15.00** on sale in our Bargain Basement. .... **\$6.75**

### Suits at \$10.98 —worth up to \$20.00

These are smart, new style suits with medium length coats with velvet trimmed collars and cuffs. They are of plain color serges and striped and checked fancy suitings; an excellent range of sizes to commence with—women's tailored suits worth up to **\$20.00** on sale in our Bargain Basement. .... **\$10.98**

### Coats at \$5.50 —worth up to \$12.50

Warm, serviceable coats of rich brown, blue and black mixed cloakings with high plush collars, wide belts and big plush buttons—a special lot of coats worth up to **\$12.50** on sale in our Bargain Basement. .... **\$5.50**

### Jersey petticoats—55c

Fast black Jersey top petticoats with wide sateen flounces; plenty of all sizes and lengths, to begin with—rare bargains at Wednesday's special price of. .... **55c**

50c bungalow aprons of light and dark pattern percales, carefully made and neatly trimmed; full 56 inches long. .... **39c**

House dress aprons of good weight percales; the open front style, buttoning all the way down; sizes up to 46. .... **45c**

98c house dresses of good quality gingham, cut full and roomy and neatly trimmed; sizes 36 to 46. .... **59c**

\$1.00 knit scarfs; good, heavy ones with fringed ends; a full line of all the popular colors, to begin with. .... **79c**

\$1.00 knit auto hoods with long ties; very warm and very serviceable; excellent line of colors to select from. .... **59c**

Comfort chailies—a hundred different patterns and colorings to select from at the very low price of, per yard. .... **5c**

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10c apron check gingham of a good weight; neat pink, blue and brown checked patterns—per yard. .... **6 3/4c**

### Up to \$4 sweaters--\$1.98

sweaters for women and sweaters for men

This is a manufacturer's sample line and surplus lots of men's and women's sweaters closed out at practically half price. Some are all-wool and some are wool-and-cotton; both coat and Jersey styles with high collar and carefully shaped cuffs; reds, blues, browns and greys, and a good line of sizes to begin with—men's and women's sweaters worth up to **\$4.00** on special sale Wednesday. .... **\$1.98**

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### RAILROADS

## IT TAKES A JUMP

California Traffic Picks Up Early This Season.

Other Items of General Interest in the Traffic World.

California traffic this winter has started earlier than ever and is expected to maintain a heavy standard during the season, according to J. M. Connell, general passenger agent of the Santa Fe.

"The belief that traffic to the coast this winter would be light because of the expositions has no foundation," said Mr. Connell today. "Business

right now is brisk. We are running our California Limited train in several sections daily."

On account of the overwhelming business for the fair, which started last winter and continued with greater volume in the spring and summer, the popular idea is that enough people have been to the coast this year. The regular winter residents, it was thought, might remain east this season, but apparently the lure of the waters of the placid Pacific is as strong as ever.

### Rate Is Hiked.

Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 16.—The Missouri Southern railroad, with a total mileage of 54 miles, was authorized to increase its passenger rate from two cents to three cents a mile by an order of the Missouri public service commission, which Saturday granted all other railroads in the state a half cent increase in passenger rates. This was discovered today by a closer examination of the lengthy ruling. The Missouri Southern was the first road in the state to petition the commission for an increase. The company was required by the commission's order

der to sell round trip tickets at a 10 per cent reduction and to sell 500 miles coupon books at two and a half cents a mile. The Missouri Southern connects with the Iron Mountain system at Leeper and runs into Reynolds county.

### WHISKY IN RAILROADING.

B. & O. Physician Opposes This Method of First Aid.

A to atise upon first aid to the injured and effective methods of administering emergency treatment following accidents has been issued by Dr. Joseph F. Tearney, chief medical examiner of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, for distribution to the working forces of the company. The booklet will be valuable to keep in the homes of the railroad men. It outlines the safest course to be followed in times of accidents and sickness, explaining the proper emergency treatment of fractures, wounds, shocks, etc., and the best means of setting up artificial respiration. The booklet is amply illustrated.

Discussing the effect of alcoholic liquors given in connection with sickness or accident, Dr. Tearney says in part:

"Whisky, even in small teaspoonful doses, increases the tendency to bleeding. When given in the somewhat larger quantity, known as the ordinary 'drink,' the first effect of stimulation is followed by a corresponding depression, so that, when the surgeon arrives, he will have to lose valuable time in combating this depression, in addition to that caused by the shock of the accident."

### MAIL PAY INCREASES.

Government Allows "Third Section" Roads \$4,000,000 More Annually.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Railroads in the "third contract section" will receive \$29,073,484 a year for carrying mails during the four years beginning July 1, last, under adjustments announced last night by the postoffice department. This is an increase of more than \$4,300,000 over the annual compensation allowed under the adjustment of 1907.

Section three is the largest of the four divisions established by the department for convenience, and embraces Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Missouri. Mail in the section is carried over 67,375 miles of track by 151 different railroads, a daily average of 5,724,348 pounds being handled by about 4,000 trains.

The adjustment made in one section each year is a tremendous task, involving the employment of hundreds of weighers and referees and tabulators to establish the average daily weight carried. The job just finished cost \$381,984.

### Will Hold Hearing.

Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 15.—The Missouri public service commission today is holding a formal hearing on the proposed plan for the reorganization of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad, the plan was submitted to the commission last Thursday. The reorganization plan provides for a reduction in the stock and bond capitalization of the Frisco system of more than \$29,000,000 and for a reduction in the annual fixed charges of \$5,728,000.

### Blodgett Steps Out.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 16.—Wells H. Blodgett, general counsel for the Wabash railroad, has resigned from that position, it became known here today. It is understood in railroad circles here that Winslow S. Pierce, of New York, who was chairman of the reorganization committee of the Wabash creditors, will succeed Mr. Blodgett and that the office of the counsel gen-

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eral will be moved from St. Louis to New York. Mr. Blodgett is 76 years old. He has been in the legal department of the Wabash for 45 years and has gained wide recognition on laws affecting railroads. Mr. Blodgett's resignation is coincident with the reorganization of the Wabash which is about to pass out of the hands of receivers.

### Big Telegraph Work.

The Grand Trunk Pacific railway has just completed a telegraph system embracing more than 5,000 miles of lines extending from Winnipeg to Prince Rupert. It contains 14,910 miles of wire of which 5,000 miles are copper. The construction was begun in 1908.

### Ten Millions for Advertising.

Railroads in the United States demonstrated their faith in newspaper advertising by spending \$10,000,000 for newspaper space during the last fiscal year, according to an address before the Chicago Advertising association by Gerrit Fort, passenger traffic manager of the Union Pacific.

### Lewis Is Appointed.

Jesse H. Lewis, a Santa Fe shop boilermaker, has been made apprentice instructor by Frank W. Thomas, supervisor of apprentices. He succeeds Peter Giber, recently appointed assistant general foreman at Cleburne, Tex. Lewis has been employed in the Santa Fe shops seven years, serving his apprenticeship there.

**Quickest, Surest Cough Remedy is Home-Made**

Easily Prepared in a Few Minutes. Cheap but Unequaled

Some people are constantly annoyed from one year's end to the other with a persistent bronchial cough, which is wholly unnecessary. Here is a home-made remedy that gets right at the cause and will make you wonder what became of it.

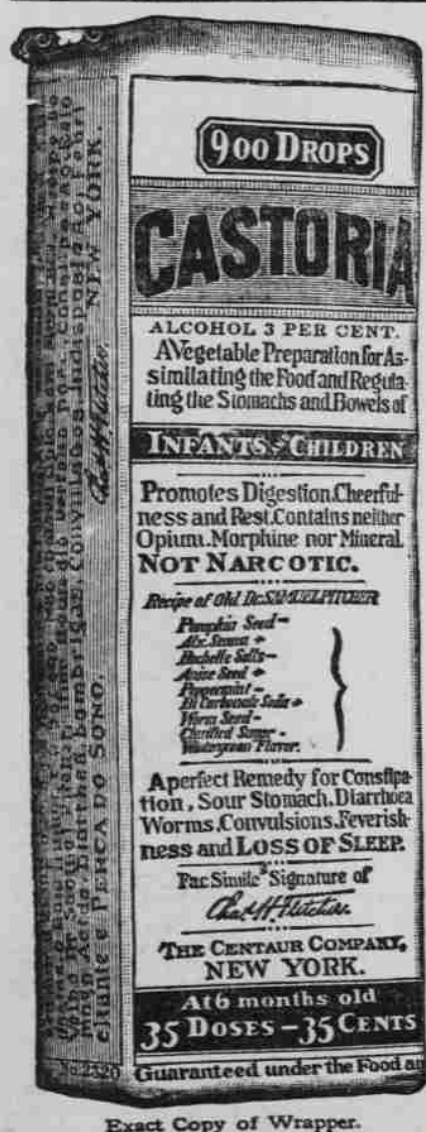
Get 2½ ounces Pinex (50 cents bottle) from any druggist, pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Start taking it at once. Gradually but surely you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether, thus ending a cough that you never thought would end. It also loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals the inflammation in a painful cough with remarkable rapidity. Ordinary coughs are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, winter coughs and bronchial asthma.

This Pinex and Sugar Syrup mixture makes a full pint—enough to last a family a long time—at a cost of only 54 cents. Keeps perfectly and tastes fine. Easily prepared. Full directions with Pinex.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, rich in quinine, and is famous the world over for its ease, certainty and promptness in overcoming bad coughs, chest and throat colds.

Get the genuine. Ask your druggist for "2½ ounces Pinex," and do not accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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